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In re application of: George N. Serbedzija et al.

Application No.: 09/255,397

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Group Art Unit: 1632

For: METHODS OF SCREENING AGENTS FOR ACTIVITY  
IN TELEOSTS

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Title: Methods of Screening Agents for Activity in Teleosts

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